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## HEARING SYNOPSIS (REVISED)

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March 10, 2022 Agenda (33rd Meeting)
Present: Ganaban, Minn, Miyashiro, Hullinger

### **PUBLIC HEARINGS – LICENSES GRANTED**

[Comm. Minn moved for approval; Comm. Hullinger seconded; Vote 4:0]

Ko Tiki LLC, dba Ko Tiki LLC 2425 Kuhio Avenue Restaurant General (Category No. 2 - Live entertainment or Recorded Music and Dancing)

Cloroshko LLC, dba Paco's Tacos Cantina Kapolei 4850 Kapolei Parkway, #401/#402, Kapolei Restaurant General license (Category No. 1 – Standard Bar)

B Koncepts, LLC, dba Studio B Social Lounge 1200 Ala Moana Boulevard, Space B002224 (Ward Centre) Cabaret General license (Category No. 1 – Standard Bar)

## APPROVED AT PRELIMINARY HEARING

[Comm. Minn moved for approval; Comm. Hullinger seconded; Vote 4:0]

Hook'd Pan Roast LLC, dba Hook'd Pan Roast Transfer from HNL Time Liquor LLC, dba Hook'd Pan Roast Dispenser General license (Category No. 4 – Hostess) 1035 Kapiolani Boulevard

H Mart Kakaako, LLC, dba H Mart 850 Kamehameha Highway, Suite 230, Pearl City Retail General license

Café WBE LLC, dba Kakaako Market & Catering 1001 Waimanu Street, Suite B Retail General license

#### OTHER LICENSE/APPLICATION/REQUEST GRANTED

[Comm. Minn moved for approval; Comm. Hullinger seconded; Vote 4:0]

Park Event Services LLC, dba Park Event Services LLC

1 Aloha Tower Drive (Aloha Tower Marketplace)

Special General license from 5:00 p.m. to 11:59 p.m. on Saturday, March 26, 2022 (Ladies of the 80's Concert Event)

Park Event Services LLC, dba Park Event Services LLC

1 Aloha Tower Drive (Aloha Tower Marketplace)

Special General license from 5:00 p.m. to 11:59 p.m. on Friday, April 22, 2022, and Saturday, April 23, 2022 (KCCN Birthday Bash)

Saint Louis School, dba Saint Louis School

3142 Waialae Avenue

[Non-Profit] Special Beer & Wine license from 5:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. on Saturday, April 23, 2022 (Grape Escape Fundraiser)

Senia LLC, dba Senia

Restaurant General license (Category No. 2 – Live Entertainment or Recorded Music and Dancing) 75 North King Street

Notification of a new member/manager and transfer of membership interests

Honolulu Museum of Arts, dba Honolulu Museum of Art

Restaurant Beer & Wine license (Category No. 2 – Live Entertainment or Recorded Music and Dancing) 900 South Beretania Street

Waiver of requirement to submit Personal History and Affidavit, Criminal History Record Clearance, and Fingerprint card for all subsequent officers and directors of the Board of Trustees

Approved for a period of five years

(Previous Request No. 20-20207 was approved on August 8, 2019 (for a period of three years) and will expire on August 8, 2022)

Ferguson's Irish Pub LLC, dba Ferguson's Irish Pub

Dispenser General license (Category No. 1 – Standard Bar)

729 Bishop Street

Approval to temporarily increase its licensed premises from Tuesday, March 15, 2022 through Wednesday, March 15, 2023, from 6:00 a.m. to 11:59 p.m. (daily) (Previous Request No. 21-22838 was approved on March 4, 2021 and expired on November 30, 2021)

Murphy's Inc., dba Murphy's Bar & Grill

Restaurant General license (Category No. 2 – Live Entertainment or Recorded Music and Dancing) 2 Merchant Street

Approval to temporarily increase its licensed premises from Tuesday, March 15, 2022 through Wednesday, March 15, 2023, from 6:00 a.m. to 11:59 p.m. (daily) (Previous Request No. 21-22838 was approved on March 4, 2021 and expired on November 30, 2021)

#### **ADJUDICATION HEARINGS**

[Comm. Miyashiro moved to accept or amend recommended penalty; Comm. Hullinger seconded; Vote 4:0]

Jenny Kim Corporation, dba Café Gangnam Karaoke Restaurant General (Category No. 1 – Standard Bar)

655 Keeaumoku Street, #105

Violation: Rule 3-82-38.4(b) [Failure to make time record entries at the time its employees reported on

duty and again when the employees went off duty]

Plea: No contest with explanation

Disposition: \$250 penalty

WH LLC, dba Campbell Stop & Shop

Retail General

3368 Campbell Avenue

Violation: Section 281-41(h), HRS [Licensee, without Commission approval, transferred its business to

another person, either openly or under any undisclosed arrangement, whereby such other person came into possession or control of the business, or took in any partner or associate]

Plea: Admit allegation; no explanation

Disposition: \$500 penalty

FEC Kaimuki Partners, LLC, dba Champs Hawaii Sports Bar & Restaurant

Restaurant General (Category No. 2 – Live Entertainment or Recorded Music and Dancing)

3457 Waialae Avenue

Violation: Section 281-31(t), HRS [Licensee purchased, acquired, or sold liquor which was purchased

from a person or entity other than a licensed wholesaler]

Plea: No contest with explanation

Disposition: \$500 penalty

Tokiwa, Inc., dba Club Boomerang

Dispenser General (Category No. 4 – Hostess)

1339 Nuuanu Avenue

Violation: Rule 3-82-38.20(b) [Licensee permitted liquor of any kind, while in bottle, glass or other container,

to be open and readily consumable within the licensed premises before or after hours]

Plea: No contest with explanation

Disposition: \$700 penalty (\$500 plus \$200 (\$10/minute past closing time))

EPOPEE LLC, dba The Nighthawk

Restaurant General (Category No. 1 – Standard Bar)

12 South King Street, #101 & #102

Violation: Rule 3-84-72.2 [Licensee failed to have street and/or primary entrances unlocked during all times

when any person other than an on-duty employee is on the licensed premises]

Plea: No contest with explanation

Disposition: Letter of reprimand

Shorefyre 2 Inc., dba Shorefyre

Restaurant General (Category No. 2 – Live Entertainment or Recorded Music and Dancing)

2330 Kalakaua Avenue, Unit #396

Violation: Rule 3-83-62(a) [Physical alterations without prior written approval]

Plea: No contest with explanation

Disposition: \$500 penalty

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Siam Square Inc., dba Siam Square Authentic Thai Cuisine

Restaurant General (Category No. 1 – Standard Bar)

408 Lewers Street, Unit 200

Violation: Section 281-41(i), HRS [Failure to obtain approval prior to any change in ownership of twenty-five

percent or more of stock or any change in ownership resulting in the transferee becoming the

owner of twenty-five percent or more of the outstanding stock]

Plea: No contest with explanation

Disposition: \$500 penalty

Sxy Szechuan Inc., dba Sxy Szechuan

Restaurant General (Category No. 1 – Standard Bar)

1450 Ala Moana Boulevard, Suite 2870

Violation: Section 281-38, HRS [Failure to comply with laws applicable to the business of Licensee,

whether in existence at the time of issue of such license or enacted or amended from time to

time thereafter, to wit, Emergency Order No. 2021-08, regarding COVID-19]

Plea: No contest with explanation

Disposition: \$500

QK Liquor Services LLC, dba Queen Kapiolani Hotel

Hotel General

150 Kapahulu Avenue

Violation: Rule 3-82-38.5(a) [Improper registration of employee]

Plea: No contest with explanation

Disposition: \$350 penalty

QK Liquor Services LLC, dba Queen Kapiolani Hotel

Hotel General

150 Kapahulu Avenue

Violation: Rule 3-84-78.03(b) [Licensee permitted entertainment which caused complaints indicating

that sounds emanating from the premises caused undue disturbance which disrupted the

peace and quiet of the neighborhood]

Plea: No contest with explanation

Disposition: Letter of reprimand

[Comm. Minn moved to issue a letter of reprimand; Comm. Hullinger seconded; Vote 3:1;

Comm. Miyashiro voted against the penalty]

Agave & Vine, LLC, dba Agave & Vine, LLC

Dispenser General (Category No. 3 - Live Entertainment or Recorded Music and Dancing)

1450 Ala Moana Boulevard, Space 2280

Violation: Section 281-38, HRS [Failure to comply with laws applicable to the business of Licensee,

whether in existence at the time of issue of such license or enacted or amended from time to

time thereafter, to wit, Emergency Order No. 2020-27, regarding COVID-19]

Plea: No contest with explanation

[Comm. Miyashiro moved to accept the plea; Comm. Minn seconded; Vote 4:0]

Disposition: Letter of reprimand

[Comm. Miyashiro moved to issue a letter of reprimand; Comm. Hullinger seconded; Vote 4:0]

### **ADJUDICATION HEARINGS – CONTINUED**

[Comm. Miyashiro moved for continuance; Comm. Hullinger seconded; Vote 4:0]

L C A, Inc., dba Club Spotlite

Dispenser General (Categories No. 3 & 4 – Live Entertainment or Recorded Music and Dancing; and Hostess) 847 Moowaa Street

Violation: Rule 3-84-78.01(b) [Employee consumed liquor while on duty on the licensed premises] CONTINUED TO THE NEXT AVAILABLE DATE

Noods Ramen Bar Inc., dba Noods Ramen Bar Inc.

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Restaurant General (Category No. 1 – Standard Bar)

3611 Waialae Avenue

Violation: Section 281-41(h), HRS [Licensee, without Commission approval, transferred its business to

another person, either openly or under any undisclosed arrangement, whereby such other

person came into possession or control of the business, or took in any partner or associate]

CONTINUED TO APRIL 14, 2022

PC Cocktail, Inc., dba Sunflower Lounge

Dispenser General (Categories No. 3 & 4 – Live Entertainment or Recorded Music and Dancing; and Hostess)

803 Kamehameha Highway, #107, Pearl City

Violation: Rule 3-82-38.9(a) [Failure to have a duly registered manager in active charge during the time

the establishment is licensed to sell or serve liquor]

CONTINUED TO THE NEXT AVAILABLE DATE